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In re: Michael Mallary

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Examiner: Paul D. Kim

For: METHODS FOR CENTERING DISKS IN A MAGNETIC DISK ASSEMBLY

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed October 20, 2005.

It is not believed that an extension of time and/or additional fee(s), including fees for additional claims, are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. In the event, however, that an extension of time is necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such an extension is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any additional fees believed to be due in connection with this paper may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

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**Amendments to the Title:**

Please replace the title in all instances with the following amended title:

~~APPARATUS AND METHODS~~ FOR CENTERING DISKS IN A MAGNETIC DISK  
ASSEMBLY